

# HOUSE BILL No. 2090

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## DIGEST OF INTRODUCED BILL

**Citations Affected:** IC 12-15-2; IC 12-17-18-12.

**Synopsis:** Eligibility for children's health insurance program. Provides that a child who is less than 19 years of age and who is a member of a family with an income that is less than 150% of the federal income poverty level qualifies for Medicaid. Adds a provision that a child may enroll in the children's health insurance program if the child is a member of a family with an income that is between 150% and 200% of the federal income poverty level.

**Effective:** July 1, 1999.

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January 27, 1999, read first time and referred to Committee on Ways and Means.

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First Regular Session 111th General Assembly (1999)

PRINTING CODE. Amendments: Whenever an existing statute (or a section of the Indiana Constitution) is being amended, the text of the existing provision will appear in this style type, additions will appear in **this style type**, and deletions will appear in ~~this style type~~.

Additions: Whenever a new statutory provision is being enacted (or a new constitutional provision adopted), the text of the new provision will appear in **this style type**. Also, the word **NEW** will appear in that style type in the introductory clause of each SECTION that adds a new provision to the Indiana Code or the Indiana Constitution.

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A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning human services.

*Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Indiana:*

- 1 SECTION 1. IC 12-15-2-14 IS AMENDED TO READ AS  
2 FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 1999]: Sec. 14. (a) An individual:  
3 (1) who is less than ~~one (1) year~~ **nineteen (19) years** of age;  
4 (2) who is not described in 42 U.S.C. 1396a(a)(10)(A)(i); and  
5 (3) whose family income does not exceed the income level  
6 established in subsection (b);  
7 is eligible to receive Medicaid.  
8 (b) An individual described in this section is eligible to receive  
9 Medicaid, subject to 42 U.S.C. 1396a et seq., if the individual's family  
10 income does not exceed one hundred fifty percent (150%) of the  
11 federal income poverty level for the same size family.  
12 (c) The office may apply a resource standard in determining the  
13 eligibility of an individual described in this section.  
14 SECTION 2. IC 12-17-18-12 IS AMENDED TO READ AS  
15 FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 1999]: Sec. 12. In order to enroll  
16 in the children's health insurance program, a child must meet the  
17 following requirements:

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1 (1) The child and the child's family may not have access to  
2 affordable health insurance through an employer.

3 (2) The child's family agrees to provide copayments for services  
4 based on a sliding fee scale developed by the office.

5 **(3) The child is a member of a family with an annual income**  
6 **that is:**

7 (A) greater than one hundred fifty percent (150%); and

8 (B) less than or equal to two hundred percent (200%);

9 **of the federal poverty level.**

10 SECTION 3. THE FOLLOWING ARE REPEALED [EFFECTIVE  
11 JULY 1, 1999]: IC 12-15-2-15; IC 12-15-2-15.5.

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